# Senate

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# **Committee on Natural Resources and Energy**

#### Senate Bill 709

Relating to: creating an office of water policy and making an appropriation. By Senators Jacque and Olsen; cosponsored by Representatives Kurtz, Pope, Summerfield, Novak, Shankland, Hebl, Kitchens, Felzkowski, Zimmerman, Kulp, Gruszynski, Mursau, Sargent, Anderson, Considine, Doyle, Subeck, Tranel, Swearingen, Petryk, C. Taylor, Vining, Spreitzer, Edming, Sinicki, Milroy, Emerson, Cabrera, Ohnstad, Zamarripa, Vruwink, Billings, Tusler, Thiesfeldt and Allen.

January 24, 2020 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources and Energy

January 30, 2020 **Public Hearing Held** 

Present: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Olsen, Marklein,

Miller and Hansen.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

## Appearances For

- Senator Andre Jacque 1st Senate District
- Representative Tony Kurtz 50th Assembly District
- Dan Bahr Wisconsin Counties Association

### Appearances Against

• None.

### Appearances for Information Only

- Todd Ambs Department of Natural Resources
- Ben Van Pelt UW-Madison

### Registrations For

- Representative Todd Novak 51st Assembly District
- Larry Konopacki Wisconsin Towns Association

#### Registrations Against

• None.

#### Registrations for Information Only

• Ken Bradbury - UW-Madison

February 05, 2020 Executive Session Held

Present: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Olsen, Marklein, Miller and Hansen.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Miller, seconded by Senator Cowles that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Olsen, Marklein, Miller and Hansen.

Noes: (0) None.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Cowles, seconded by Senator Hansen that **Senate Bill 709** be recommended for passage as amended.

Ayes: (5) Senator Cowles; Senators Olsen, Marklein, Miller and Hansen.

Noes: (0) None.

PASSAGE AS AMENDED RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Toni Herkert Committee Clerk